

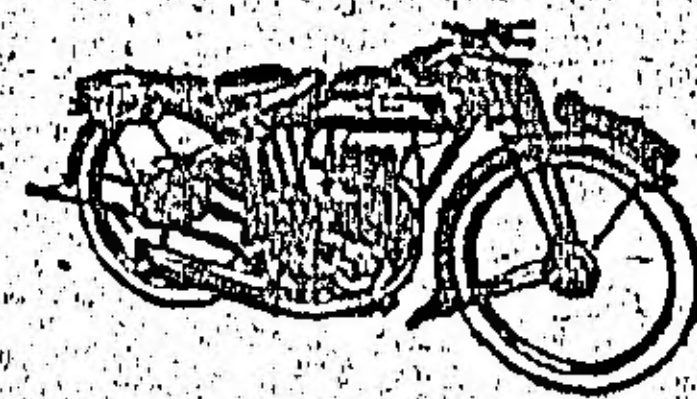
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STRIKE SITUATION.

LITTLE CHANGE TO REPORT.

There is very little that is new to report regarding the strike today. Some fitters and mechanics have joined the general body of idlers, all the men employed at the Russell Street garage having gone on strike this morning. Apart from this one solitary report there is no official news regarding any further defections, whereas there are one or two instances reported of men slowly dribbling back to work. The two steamers to arrive here from Canton yesterday brought down about 1,200 persons, but the boats leaving here for Canton also had goodly number of passengers.

As we reported yesterday, it would seem that the bulk of the workers who are going to be affected by the present state of things have already gone out and that from this stage onwards there is reason to expect a general, if slow, return to work.

Meanwhile there is no untoward incident to report. Food supplies are coming to hand in fair quantities, and all the emergency services are functioning well.

Departing Idlers.

The arrest of Chinese found without employment and their deportation from the Colony is proceeding under the powers delegated to the police by the Governor-in-Council. Hitherto it has not been possible to ascertain the precise number of idlers sent away, but we learn that the officers detailed for this weeding out of the Colony's undesirables have been kept very actively engaged during the last few days.

RELIEVING THE POLICE.

CHINESE MERCHANT CORPS.

An interesting development in connection with the strike is that there is now in process of organisation a special Chinese Merchants' Corps, which it is believed will relieve the police of a deal of normal work. The idea at the back of the scheme is that the merchants will undertake to police the districts in which their shops are situated, various groups being responsible for specified streets. In case of any crime occurring, the members of the Merchants' Corps will cope with the situation, and in case of arrests they will hand the delinquents over to the police.

With regard to the Chinese Special Police, we learn that the greatest care is being exercised in the selection of these men, with the result that the integrity of each man can be fully vouched for.

PLUCKY ANAH.

RETALIATES ON INTIMIDATOR.

An intimidator met more than his match when he accosted a Chinese amah in Kowloon this morning.

The incident occurred when the amah was on her way to the Dairy Farm for milk and in her hand she carried an empty container. The intimidator, a man, stopped her and threatened her, and she made reply by striking him over the head with the milk bottle. She continued her attack until the man took to his heels.

FRANCE AND SIAM.

Paris, July 8.

The Foreign Affairs Committee of the Chamber has adopted the report in favour of ratification of the Franco-Siamese Treaty. —Havas.

STRIKER ARRESTED.

KOWLOON RESIDENT PROSECUTES COOLIE.

Leaving Without Notice.

Mr. B. Wylie, of No. 7 Torres Building, Kowloon, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, prosecuted his former house coolie, on a charge of absconding himself from his employment on June 24, without notice.

The defendant stated that he was the last to leave his position after giving his mistress notice two days previous to his departure.

Formal evidence of the defendant's position and salary was given by the complainant, who further said that, together with the remainder of his servants, the defendant left on June 24. His servants were among the first of the Kowloon servants to leave their employment.

Sub-Inspector Andrews told his Worship that the defendant was found by Mr. Wylie working in Knutsford Terrace, opposite the latter's residence, and he immediately had him arrested.

The Inspector said he understood that employers at Knutsford Terrace were paying emergency servants as much as \$3 per day, and the defendant presumably left his employment for a higher wage.

His Worship said that the matter of paying servants \$3 per day was rather a matter for the Kowloon Residents' Association than for him to deal with. As Mr. Wylie still owed the defendant 23 days' pay, and as accused owed one month's wages in default of notice, he ordered the accused to pay the complainant \$3, being seven days' wages, or, in default, one week's imprisonment. Defendant was further fined \$25, with the alternative of one month's hard labour.

THE MONEY EXPORTERS.

A NEW DODGE DISCOVERED.

In order to avoid the Exportation Order, Chinese crossing the British border are employing a clever ruse in their attempts to export more than \$5 from the Colony.

According to police reports, the men distribute their money amongst any children who may be on the train. One man who was actually seen by Sergeant Hallam to hand a small child \$5 pleaded that the girl had carried the money on her since she boarded the train at Kowloon. This case came before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistracy, this morning, when, after hearing the evidence, his Worship forfeited the \$5 which had been given to the child.

SEDITIONARY PAMPHLET.

TWO CHINESE SENTENCED.

Two Chinese were charged before Mr. S. B. E. McElderry, at the Central Magistracy this morning, with joint possession of a seditious pamphlet.

The evidence stated that the defendants were stopped and searched by a Chinese Sergeant outside the Central Market. The document was found in the possession of the second defendant, who now stated that he received it from the first defendant and had not read it.

The first defendant told the Magistrate that he received the pamphlet from a small boy in the street, read the characters thereon and had turned the paper over to his companion.

His Worship adjudged the case against the first defendant to be the more serious one of the two. He had read what the document contained, and, knowing its nature, had passed it over to the second defendant. The sentence in his case would be six weeks' hard labour and a personal bond of \$200 in two sureties. Failure to produce these sureties would entail a further term of a month's hard labour. A similar bond was ordered in the case of the second defendant, but he was mulcted only in a fine of \$10.

THE DEPORTATION ORDER.

A CORRESPONDENT'S VIEW.

We have received the following letter for publication:—

Sir,—After a fortnight's agitation on the part of the newspapers—representing unanimous public opinion—in favour of deportation of the thousands of strikers who loaf around as a drag on the community, we were delighted to hear last Monday morning that at long last the Government had given itself the necessary power to take action. Word passed from mouth to mouth, and relief was expressed on all sides that at last something firm had been done as a remedy.

Next day we learnt—that "twenty to thirty men" had been arrested under the new order, including a batch of eleven sanitary coolies. When the public read this, it rubbed its eyes. Had it been 200 or 300, it would perhaps have looked upon it as being not a bad start, and counted confidently upon it being 2,000 or 3,000 before another two days had passed. But, ye gods, twenty or thirty!

The next day's paper informed us that, so far as could be ascertained, no deported persons had been despatched to Canton by the departing steamers of the preceding day, but that two vessels alone had brought back 1,600 persons from Canton into this Colony.

Do we want them to leave us, or do we want them to return? If we had yet made a decision on that vital point! If we wish to remove those who won't work from this Colony, surely to goodness there should be some stringent prohibition as to the nature of the business of those returning to it. One paper reported that several men who, apparently under orders of an official, travelled down on a Canton boat searching the belongings of the passengers mixed with the crowd at this end and got away undetected—into our midst. Once again, ye gods!

If we round up and deport a few scores of strikers per day, at the same time allowing a daily influx of thousands—which must include hundreds of undesirables—it savours somewhat of trying to empty the ocean with a teaspoon.

This, at any rate, is how it appears to the patient, perspiring, long-suffering civilian, and it is causing considerable heart-burning. Contrast the satisfaction caused by reading the peremptory military order regarding the Peak Tramway. This, in popular parlance, is "the stuff to give them," and we should like to see more of it.

Yours etc.

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THE SHIPPING POSITION.

KWONG SAI STOPS RUNNING.

When the Kwong Sai berthed at Canton on her last trip, her comrades went ashore and did not return. The vessel arrived from Canton this morning having on board several European missionaries and nearly five hundred Chinese passengers to this Colony. Her trip from Canton will be her last for the time being, the fear having been expressed that if she makes the trip this evening, her crew will follow the example of the comrades and leave her stranded in the South China Sea.

The Kwong Tung, belonging to the same company, left for Canton last evening and on her return here will also be held up temporarily.

The Tai Lee, now on the Kowloon run, reports all quiet in that district. The officers think that she will make one more voyage to Kowloon and back. Fifty-two of the eighty-seven vessels now in harbour are British.

THE CHINA SITUATION.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN REPLIES TO QUESTIONERS.

No Renunciation of Rights.

London, July 8.

In the House of Commons, replying to questions Mr. Chamberlain declared that no proposal for severance of diplomatic relations with the Soviet Government was under consideration by His Majesty's Government. The Diplomatic Body in Peking were considering a joint reply to the fourteen points contained in the Chinese Government's Note and he was not aware of any conflict of opinion between the Powers with regard to the reasonableness of the demands.

Mr. Beckett declared that the American press had widely stated that the American representatives were willing to accept the demands, but the British delegates were holding out.

Mr. Chamberlain deprecated being called on to answer questions with regard to information supplied by the different presses of the world. He emphasised that he was unaware of any conflict between the Governments.

Replying to Mr. Lansbury, Mr. Chamberlain said Russia was not represented on the Commission of Enquiry at Shanghai because Russia was not one of the Treaty Powers.

Replying to Mr. Robinson, Mr. Chamberlain said no proposals had been received from the Government of the United States for the convening of an International Conference for the purpose of removing the special privileges of certain nationals in the Treaty Ports of China and giving the Chinese nation unrestricted control of import duties.

Replying to Mr. Ammon, Mr. Chamberlain said the Government were not prepared to follow the example of Germany, Austria and Russia in renouncing extraterritorial privileges in China. Pending the result of the present consultations between the Treaty Powers, he was not in a position to add anything to his statement of July 1st.—Reuter.

SHANGHAI OUTLOOK.

STRIKERS CONFISCATE FOODSTUFFS.

Shanghai, July 8.

The situation continues hopeful. The day has been quiet except for further kidnapping of servants employed by foreigners and the confiscation by strikers of hundreds of cows as well as foodstuffs intended for foreigners' consumption. The tramway services have been curtailed.—Reuter.

The Recent Shootings.

London, July 8.

Commenting on the summaries of the report of the Tripartite Mixed Commission, published in France, blaming the British police and the American Chairman of the Municipal Council in connection with the shootings in Shanghai, the Daily Telegraph diplomatic correspondent says:—"The evidently calculated leakage of news should at least have the salutary effect that Britain cannot longer tolerate the comedy of a commission of three under penalty of seeing our prestige destroyed in China, as, by not dissimilar methods, it was destroyed in Turkey."

No Request to Britain.

London, July 8.

In the House of Commons, replying to questions, Mr. Chamberlain stated that he had not received any request from Shanghai that the British Government should forcibly intervene to restore normality in Shanghai.—Reuter.

LORD ALLENBY HONOURED.

King Tuad has conferred on Lord Allenby the title of Grand Cordon of Mohamed Ali.

ADVICE TO HOUSEHOLDERS.

AN IMPORTANT DRAINAGE MATTER.

In connection with the strike of the roads-cleaning staff of the Sanitary Department there is one very important direction in which householders can not only assist the authorities but also safeguard their own safety and comfort, according to Mr. E. Newhouse, the Drainage Engineer of the Public Works Department, on whom a Telegraph representative called this morning.

Mr. Newhouse said that the flushing of drains which were being used for the dumping of nightsoil was proceeding satisfactorily and an examination of these drains had proved that they were being kept in a clean and free condition. It was very important, said Mr. Newhouse, that tenants and occupiers of houses should keep the surface of any drainage gratings—whether in private or public roads, lanes or yards, entirely free from paper or other rubbish which was likely to choke up such gratings, as in the event of rain a very serious state of affairs would exist. With the drains choked up, the streets on the steep city slopes would become raging torrents in the event of heavy rains, and it was easy to imagine not only damage to roads and property but also loss of life. In their own interests, therefore, householders should assist by keeping all gratings in the vicinity of their houses free from any obstructions.

INFUX FROM CANTON.

CLOSER WATCH NEEDED.

The opinion has been expressed in reputable circles that a large number of the passengers being brought into the Colony by the river boats are nothing other than paid intimidators. It has been remarked more than once that the influx of persons from Canton has always been followed by a considerable exodus from Hongkong, and it is a matter for comment that although, generally speaking, the general tension here has relaxed, the number of people still leaving shows few signs of decreasing.

A Telegraph representative, talking with a shipping man on the waterfront this morning, was told that although people are coming into the Colony by the hundreds, others were leaving in their thousands and he advocated a much closer investigation into the bona fides of those now being allowed to enter the Colony.

A visitor from Canton arriving on the s.s. Kwong Sai this morning repeated a story of the looting of shops in Canton by hungry refugees from Canton, but we are unable to obtain confirmation.

AMERICAN HEAT WAVE.

105 DEGREES AT WASHINGTON.

New York July 8.

The east of the United States is gripped in a heat-wave, in which at least nine deaths have occurred. Two days of violent thunderstorms have only temporarily relieved the sweltering millions. The temperature in Washington yesterday was 105 degrees Fahrenheit.—Reuter American Service.

SINGAPORE BASE.

PROGRESS OF THE WORK.

London, July 8.

In the House of Commons, replying to Commander Kenworthy, Mr. Bridgman described the progress of work on the new dockyard at Singapore in preparation for dredging work for the berth of the floating dock on arrival of the dredging fleet in November.—Reuter.

SHOOTING AFFAIR.

INDIAN CONSTABLE WOUNDED.

Details have been received of a shooting affair which occurred in the Kowloon City District yesterday morning. An Indian constable was seriously shot in the side by a man whom he was taking into custody for cutting down trees, and the bullet was fired from a revolver wrested from the officer's hold by his prisoner.

A raid was being carried out on the trees above Ngau Shi Wan, and the firewood hunters, returning with their spoils, ran into a picket of three constables who were patrolling the district from 4 to 8 a.m. One man, who was handicapped by having a large pine log across his shoulder, was unable to clear the advancing picket, and he was secured. Leaving one of their number, an Indian constable, to take care of the prisoner, the others of the picket started in pursuit of the firewood hunters. Returning some minutes later, they were aghast to find their companion lying unconscious on the ground. Of the prisoner there was no sign.

It would appear that during the absence of the other members of the picket, the Indian was surprised by a blow dealt over one ear. This probably stunned him, and rendered him weak for the ensuing struggle for possession of the revolver. With this, the prisoner wounded the constable in the side, and also inflicted severe injuries on his head with the butt end. He then made his escape before the return of the other men of the picket.

The Indian is now lying in a serious condition in the Government Civil Hospital.

TERRIBLE HOTEL TRAGEDY.

BARONESS FALLS FROM SEVENTH FLOOR.

New York, July 8.

Barones Helen Zurmuehlen, understood to have arrived from Java, fell early this morning from the seventh floor apartment of the fashionable Ritz-Carlton Hotel, and was killed.

The accident apparently was due to the heat wave. The Barones had been dancing, and stepped to a window to get a breath of air. Her friends were horrified to see her topple over and fall to the roof of the Japanese garden far below. Her diamond earrings were dashed from their settings as she fell.

She should have sailed on the Berengaria to-day to join her husband, who is believed to be in the Dutch diplomatic service. Prior to her marriage the Barones was the beautiful debutante Helen Caruthers from San Antonio.—Reuter's American Service.

MOTORIST FINED.

FAILURE TO REPORT ACCIDENT.

Chan Fook-kee, a motor car driver, came before Mr. S. B. E. McElderry, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on charges of driving away after he had knocked down and caused injuries to a small Chinese girl, and of failing to report the accident.

According to Sergeant Roberts, defendant drove quickly away after the accident, which occurred in Wanchai Road. The action was not so quick that witnesses, who were standing under the porch of the Wanchai Police Station, could not get a glimpse of the number of the car. By means of this the defendant was traced, and he admitted the offence, saying that he drove away when he saw that the girl was able to get on her feet.

His Worship ordered \$5 to be paid as compensation to the girl, and, on the charge of failing to report the accident, a fine of \$25 was inflicted.

PUBLIC MONEY.

LATEST COUNCIL VOTES.

The following financial votes were, at this afternoon's meeting of the Legislative Council, referred to the Finance Committee:—

\$2,000 on account of meteorological telegrams, Royal Observatory.

\$64,000, contribution of Government towards the fund for Praya East Reclamation.

\$14,550, for quarters for clerical staff, partitions and electric fittings (\$7,000) and rent for six months (\$7,550).

\$5,000 for extension to sisters' quarters at the Government Civil Hospital.

\$6,100 for installation of wireless telephones at Kowloon Water Police Station and Cheung Chau island (\$3,600) and wireless receiving station at Royal Observatory (\$2,500).

\$60,500 for improvements to the junction of Nathan and Gascoigne Roads, Kowloon, cutting away the hill.

\$50,000 for compensation and resumptions at Kowloon.

\$100,000 for compensation and resumptions in the New Territories.

\$6,000 for training portion of the nullah on Crown land which divides the "Ramcart," Taipo, and the P. W. O. Bungalow.

\$11,800 for quarters for Inspector of Vernacular Education in the New Territories, Taipo.

ENGLISH "SOCCER" TOUR.

Newcastle (N.S.W.), July 8. The English "soccer" team beat Newcastle by three goals to nil.—Reuter.

SAAR BASIN LOAN.

New York, July 8. The complete success is announced of the four million dollar seven per cent. Saar Basin Loan, offered here and at Chicago.—Reuter's American Service.

HOME CRICKET.

INTER-VARSITY RECORD EQUALLED.

London, July 8.

The Inter-Varsity match, Oxford against Cambridge, played at Lords, was drawn. Oxford batted first and made 350, Stewart Brown scoring 56 and Guise 58. Cambridge then went in and made 409, the principal scorers being Duleep Singh 75, Crawley 38 and Eatherton 129. The last-named player scored 104 last year and has thus equalled William Yardley's inter-Varsity record of scoring two centuries. Yardley's centuries were made in 1870 and 1872. Oxford's second innings had gone to 214 for six wickets when time was called. The principal scorers were Stewart Brown 69, and Holmes 68.—Reuter.

MOROCCAN FIGHTING.

Paris, July 8.

A message from Fez says the French northward of Wezaan evacuated two advanced posts after the removal of stores and the destruction of defences. A later despatch reports that the Rifis mustered ten thousand rifles in the Wergha region where they are endeavouring to win over tribes. The enemy is apparently aiming at a new and intensified offensive against Fez from the north to the south.—Reuter.

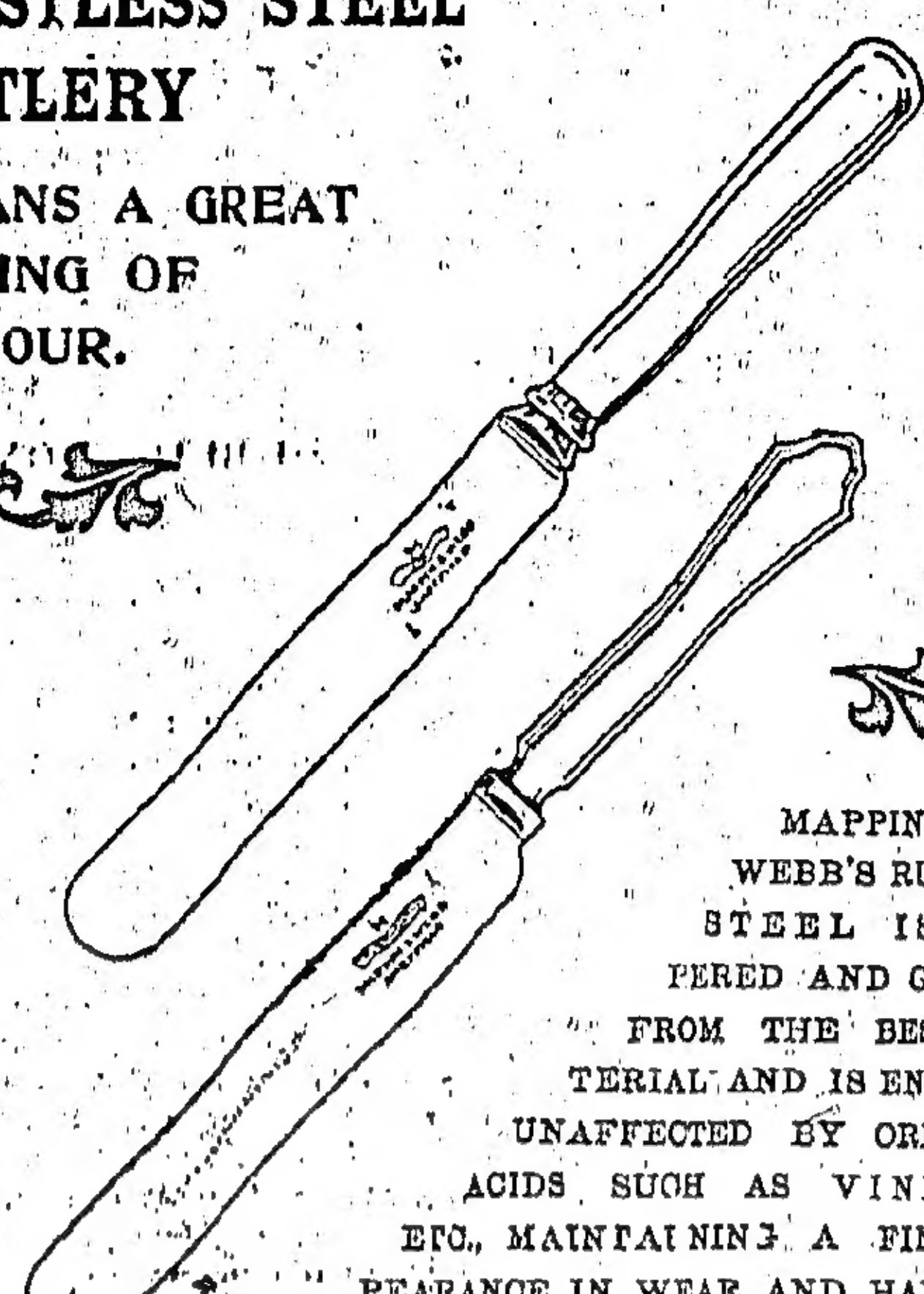
NEW FLYING RECORDS.

Amsterdam, July 8.

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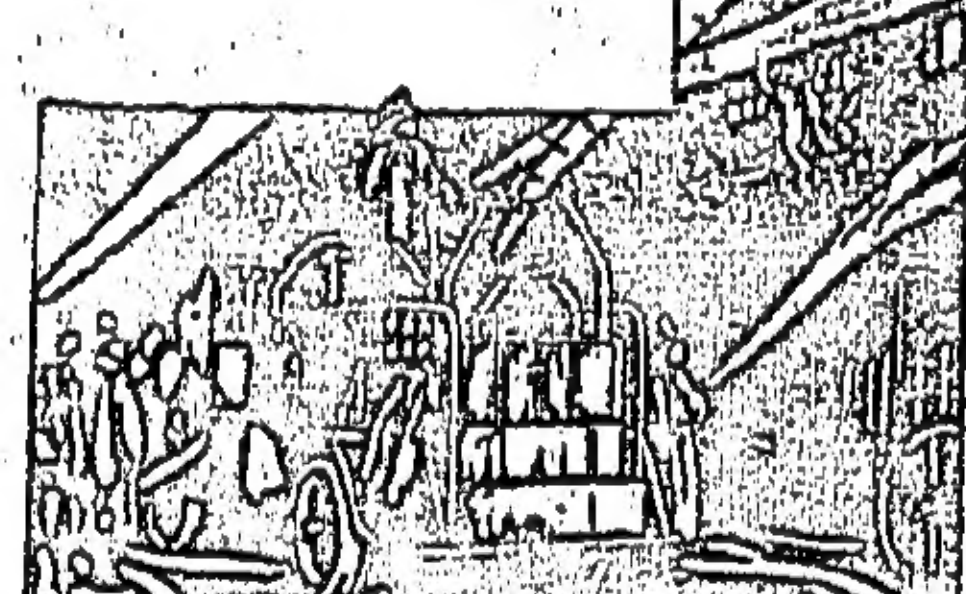
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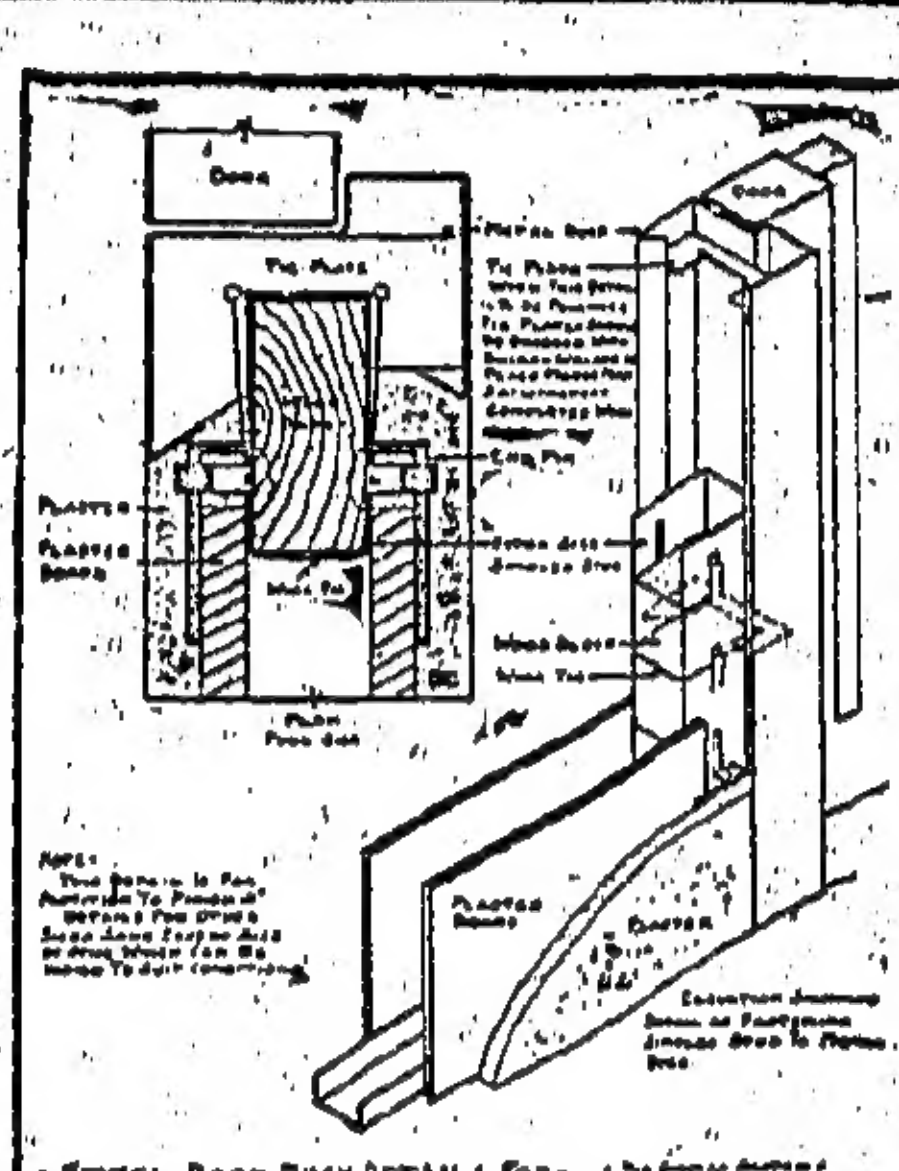
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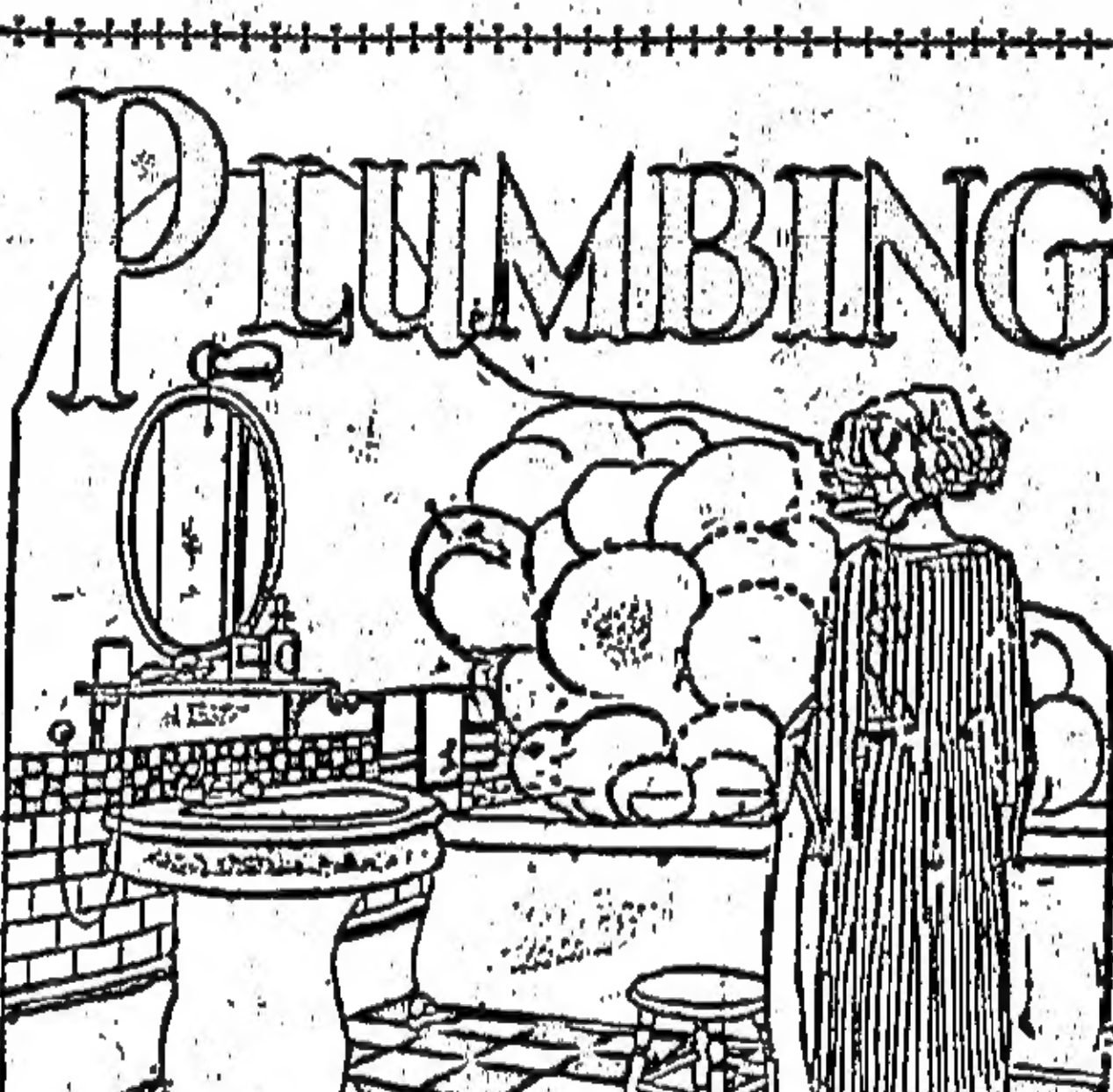
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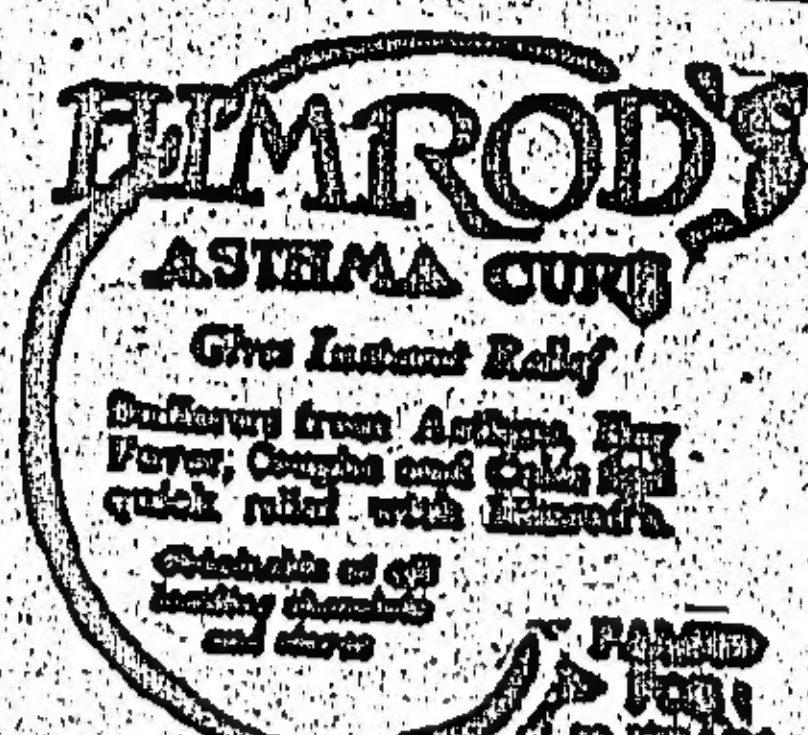
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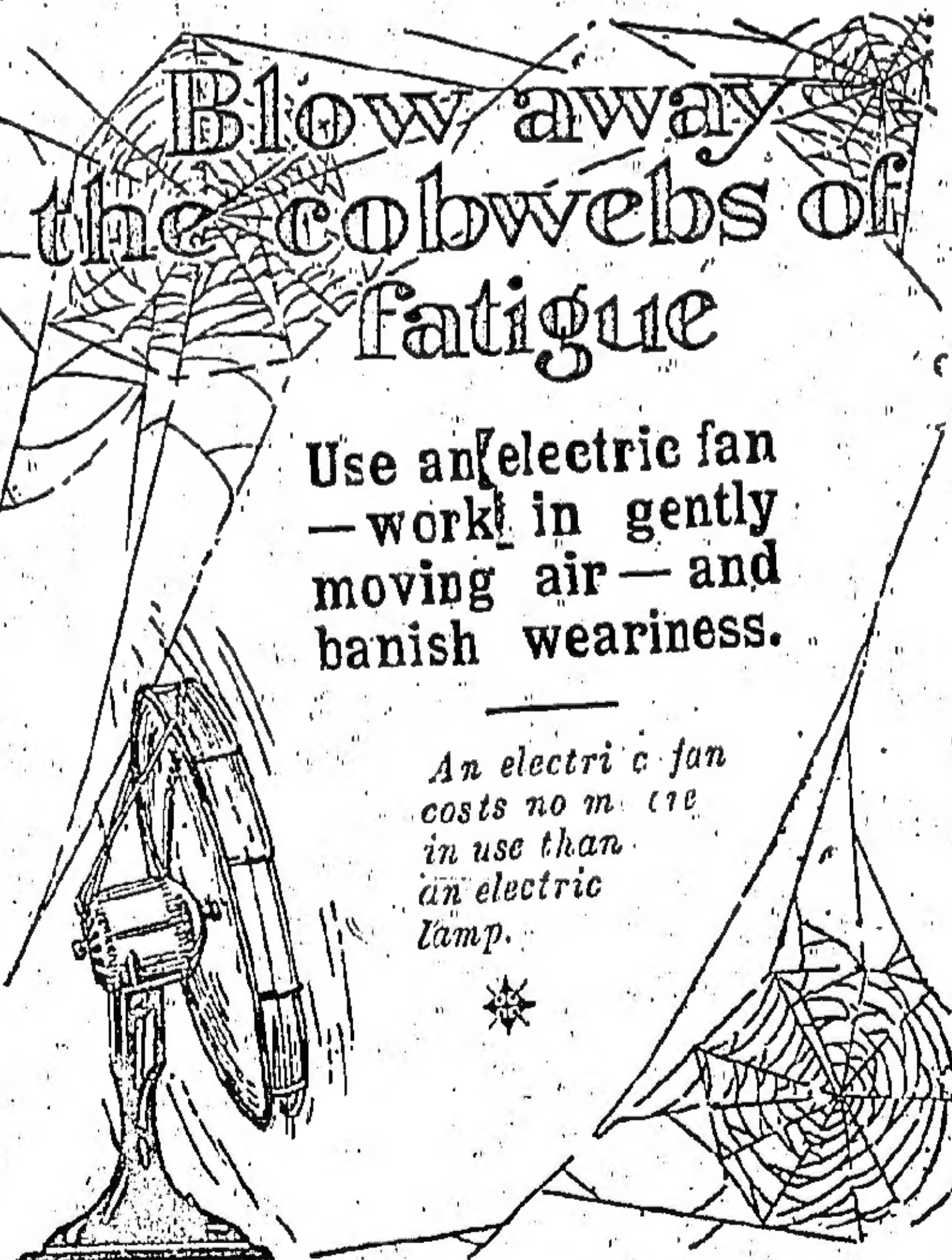
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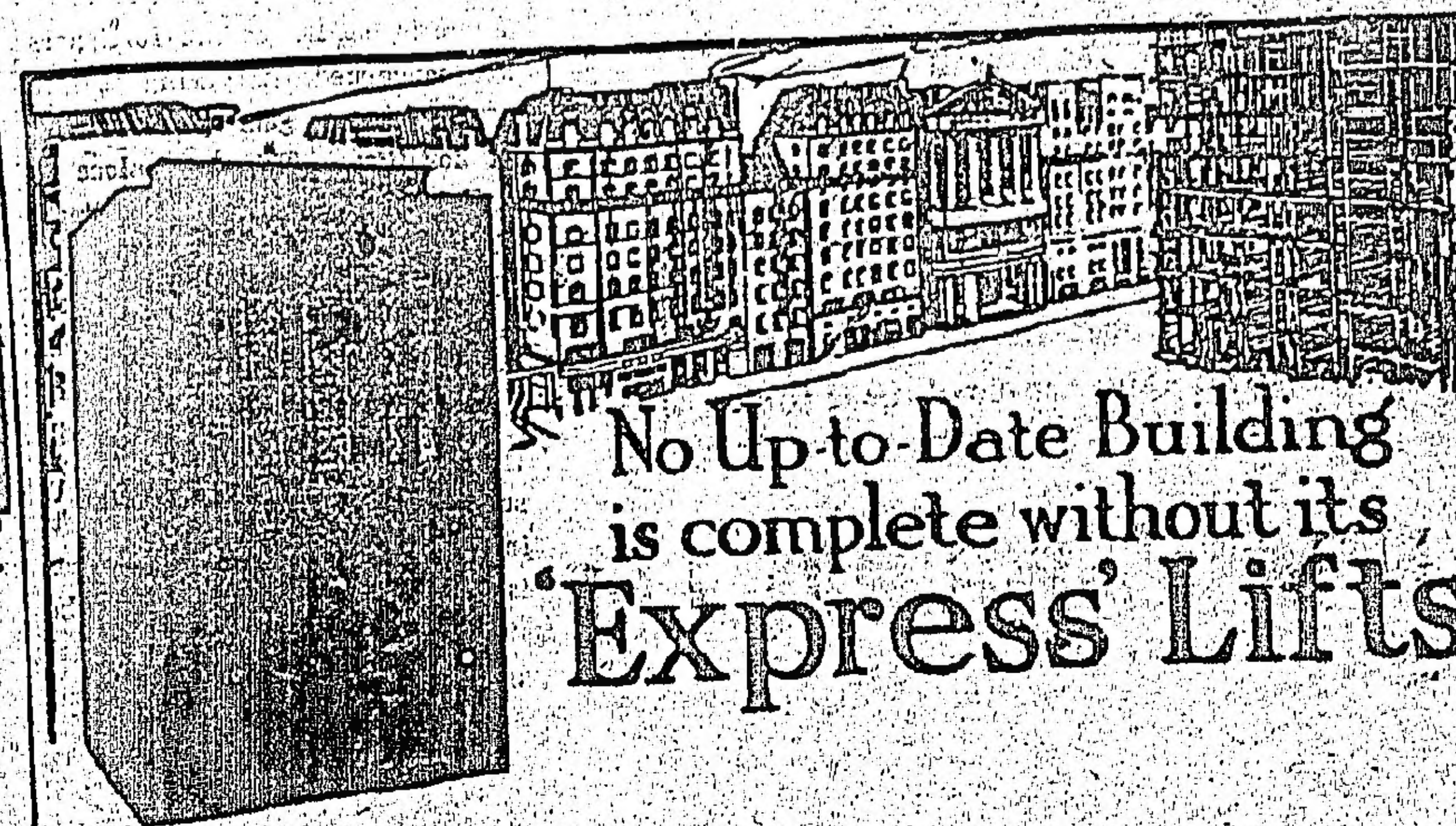
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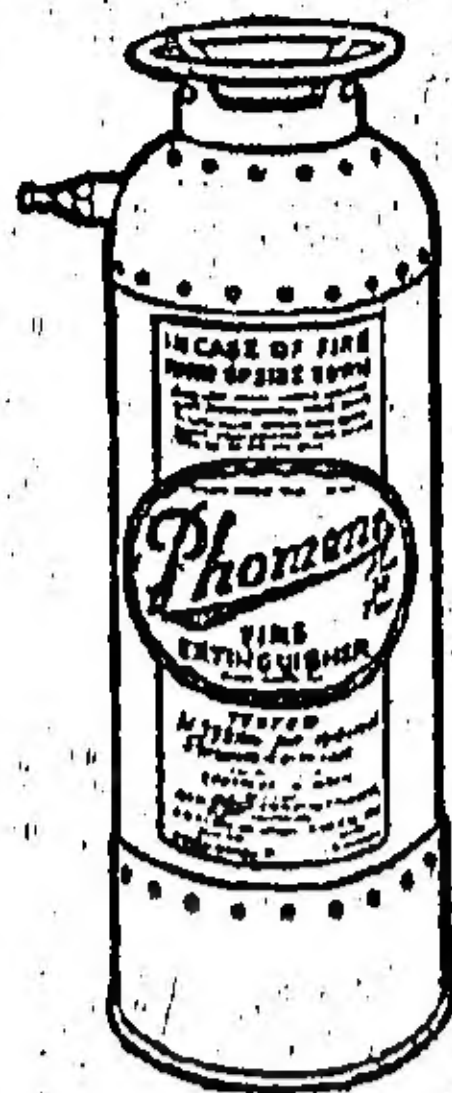
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The Telegraph.

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Misrepresentation.

We are living in times when, as a consequence of lying propaganda on the part of mischief-makers, the outside world is liable to gain the impression that the main occupation of foreigners in the Far East is to oppress the Chinese and ride rough-shod over their rights. A more distorted reflection of the actual facts could hardly be conceived. Yet there are apparently well-meaning folk at home, in the United States and even in France as well who believe that these stories are true. Unhappily, these tales fall on the ears of people who are too apt to accept popular illusions without troubling to ascertain the facts. They accept the reports, do not hesitate to pass judgment on matters with which they are quite unacquainted, and thus encourage the output of propagandists who are happy so long as they can get people to believe what they tell them. The bulk of the foreigners in China are business men who are seeking to expand and develop trade between East and West. They look to the Eastern markets for the maintenance of old connections and the opening up of new avenues of commerce. Their trade, for the most part, is with the Chinese. It thus becomes clear that, even if put no higher than the plane of self-interest, the antagonising of the Chinese by domineering methods, or by "looking down" on them, would be fatal. There is, as far as the foreigners are concerned, everything to lose and nothing to gain by an attitude of hostility. This fact alone is sufficient to show how utterly absurd it is to paint foreigners in China as oppressors of the Chinese. All sane business men, whether foreign or Chinese, know full well that it is only by mutual goodwill that trade can be built up, and to suggest that there is enmity existing between the one and the other is sheer nonsense. It is to the student element, the professional agitator and Soviet intrigue that we have to attribute the dissemination of these stories of foreign oppression. For the moment, we have to bear with the campaign of misrepresentation. But truth will eventually prevail and the trouble-makers be shamefully exposed.

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The Volunteer Helpers.

Anyone who would attempt to write the history of the present strike (after it is all over) would have to devote a very large chapter to the wonderful spirit of willingness on the part of those Europeans who have volunteered for special services. If we take the engineers and officers who are manning the "Star" Ferry boats, or the men who are helping at the Dairy Farm's shops at Kowloon and in Hongkong, or the volunteers who are carrying on at the Post Office, or the ladies serving in Wiseman's or the emergency staffs at our Hotels, we find a determination and cheerfulness that is of very high merit having regard to the wear and tear of physical strength in this trying heat. It is no joke to man the engine room of a "Star" Ferry boat or to cut up meat or heavy lumps of ice in a shop. And all over the Colony in many different spheres of activity men and women are cheerfully performing all manner of work to which they are not accustomed and, far from growing tired, are determined to see this thing through. Those of us who are more or less dependent on these workers in essential services owe them a debt of gratitude and also a lot of patient consideration. Unfortunately, the weather during the past few days has of itself been extremely fatiguing and it is to be hoped that the typhoon factory east of the Philippines won't send us any further depressions for a long time. A cheerful spirit all round, and a kindly word whenever possible, should be a special cult these days, and the retention of such a spirit for the ordinary times that assuredly lie ahead of all this strike bother would go a long way in helping out the dog days of summer.

Then and Now.

In spite of all the vaunted power of habit, custom and convention, a strike, like the present does serve to bring out in strong relief, the extreme flexibility and adaptability of the human species. We are living in a topsy-turvydom that has very little of irksomeness about it, and there are wonderfully few complaints. There is something approaching a curfew order in force for Europeans though no such order has been issued. The trams and "Star" Ferry boats stop running at eight o'clock and most folk now go to bed almost directly after dinner. The ladies are now housewives in real earnest and husbands turn to and help with the washing and wiping up. Men in Kowloon get up early in the morning and dash off to the Dairy Farm for fresh milk and ice, whereas it used to be a wait in bed until the "boy" brought the early morning tea and paper. Shopping is real shopping these days—bread, bacon, cheese, matches and all such things; not the dilly-dallying over lace and fineries. We are down to the essentials of life closer than we are normally, and it can hardly do us any harm. Many a wife has discovered the delinquencies of her houseboy, the dirt hiding tricks of the house-coolie, and the wasteful prodigality of the amahs. We are being given a closer insight into the running of our own homes and such an insight ought to do us all good.

Better Atmosphere.

Without a doubt, it can be said that Hongkong is weathering the

DAY BY DAY.

ALL GOOD THINGS PERVERTED TO EVIL PURPOSES ARE WORSE THAN THOSE WHICH ARE NATURALLY BAD.—Dickens.

The rate of the dollar on demand to-day is 2s. 3.11 1/2d.

The Empress of Russia left Kobe at 6 p.m. yesterday and is due at Nagasaki at 4 p.m. to-day.

Mr. P. P. J. Wodehouse, O.I.E., and Mrs. Wodehouse returned from Wei Hai Wei this morning.

The P. and O. s.s. Kashmir left Shanghai on the 7th instant at 6 p.m. and is due here at 6 a.m. on the 10th instant.

The reports received by the local naval authorities disclose that all is quiet in the various districts of southern China.

Dame Emily Bowden-Smith of Queen's-gate-terrace, W. widow of Admiral Sir Nathaniel Bowden-Smith K.C.B. left estate valued at £22,738.

The death is announced at Weymouth, on June 4th, of the widow of the Ven. Archdeacon Moule, D.D., of Mid-China. Mrs. Moule was in her 84th year.

Sir Charles and Lady Addis left for Morocco early in June by the P. & O. Naidera. They expected to return to London about June 20.

The typhoon signal was lowered at 9 a.m. to-day. The Observatory reports that the disturbance at 6 a.m. to-day was in the immediate vicinity of Taichu (Formosa), moving slowly N.N.W.

Engineer-Captain G. H. Bromwich, D.S.O., O.B.E., late Chief Engineer of the Dockyard at Hongkong, has been appointed Engineer Overseer for the Admiralty in the Manchester District.

In the East River district it is reported that General Chan King-ming is re-organising his army at Weichow and recruiting volunteers in large numbers with the object of joining the Yunnanese in an attack on Canton.

A marriage has been arranged, and will shortly take place, between Major Roland Lawrence, M.C., Goldstream Guards, elder son of Sir Walter R. Lawrence, Bt., and Lady Lawrence, and Susan, third daughter of Sir Charles Addis, K.C.M.G., and Lady Addis.

Before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest, at the Central Magistracy this morning a Chinese shopkeeper was charged with assaulting a Government foreman at Coronation Road. This incident occurred a month ago, it was stated. Mr. M. K. Lo prosecuted whilst Mr. C. A. S. Russ defended. The defendant was sentenced to six months' hard labour.

"strike" storm splendidly. The hopes of those at the bottom of the trouble, that this Colony would be paralysed by the defection of thousands of its workers, are by no means being realised. On the contrary, our voluntary workers are showing that they can carry on the essential services of the Colony, and as we have remarked, they are quite prepared to see the business through to the end. Gradually, but perceptibly, the atmosphere is improving, and workers are beginning to tire of their "holiday." As the days go by, no doubt we shall see more and more men seeking a resumption of work. That the strike is not wholly anti-foreign in character is evidenced from the fact that employees of purely Chinese firms and households have come out. This rather supports the view of those who believe that many of the strikers have simply followed others like sheep—that they have become infected with the "holiday spirit" and think they might as well join in the movement as remain outside it. Maybe the new powers of the police to arrest and deport the non-workers will soon bring them to their senses.

CABLE MAKING.

A DESCRIPTIVE FILM.

London, July 8. "The Romance of the Submarine Cable" film, illustrating the fascinating story of the manufacture, laying, repairing and everyday work on a cable, was exhibited by the Eastern Associated Telegraph Companies after a luncheon at the Savoy Hotel presided over by the vice-chairman, Mr. J. C. Denison Pender.

The film gives many instances of the everyday life of the Eastern company's staff, ashore and afloat, and the completed machinery employed in covering the core of the cable is shown in all its processes. —*Reuter.*

GERMAN LOANS.

INTERESTING DISPUTE.

Berlin, July 8. The committee of the Bourse has decided to close the exchange to-day as a protest against the decision of the revaluation committee of the Reichstag to differentiate between the old and new holders of paper mark State loans, and to grant the latter a revaluation of only 2 1/2 per cent. compared with five per cent. for the old holders. All the other German exchanges have closed.

Bankers and financiers generally are of opinion that it will be impossible to carry out such differentiation, and anticipate that German securities abroad will be adversely affected thereby.

The Bourse committee consider that differentiation will destroy confidence in German loans. The committee have decreed that until further notice quotations of loans of the Reich and Federal States and towns will be struck out of their list. —*Reuter.*

COAL CRISIS.

PREMIER'S APPEAL.

London, July 8. In the House of Commons, questioned regarding the coal crisis, Mr. Baldwin said he thought it was clear that the possibilities of negotiation were not yet exhausted. He appealed to both sides to explore every opportunity for a settlement.

He disagreed with a Labourite who ventured the opinion that the deadlock was complete. —*Reuter.*

DAY BY DAY.

At the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of Mark Masons, on June 3, sanction was accorded to the formation of a District Grand Lodge of Mark Master Masons for Hongkong.

The Chair of Chinese at London University, rendered vacant by the death of the late Dr. Hopkyn Rees, has been filled by the appointment of Dr. J. Percy Bruce, late president of the Shantung Christian University. Dr. Bruce has just taken up his duties at the School of Oriental Studies.

The new cruiser Diomedé, which is presently on the China Station, is under orders to return to Portsmouth for recommissioning about October 1, when she will leave her home port for the New Zealand Division for a spell of service. The Admiralty having called for volunteer officers, so many responded for service on the New Zealand Division that the number was filled up in a day or two and the Admiralty announces that no further applications should be made. About 300 of other ranks will be required, and already four times that number have applied to serve in the Diomedé. The warrant officers and men will be very carefully selected, and none but the very best conducted will be shipped. Promotion will go as usual.

FRANCE AND THE SOVIET.

AGREEMENT ON RUSSIAN SECURITIES.

Paris, July 8.—The *Ere Nouvelle* learns that M. Krassin has just returned from Moscow and has brought back the draft of an agreement in the claims of holders of Russian securities. It believes that the Franco-Russian commercial treaty will speedily be concluded. —*Reuter.*

LATE MR. H. W. PETLEY.

Funeral at Happy Valley.

The funeral of the late Mr. H. W. Petley took place yesterday afternoon, the interment being at the Protestant Cemetery. The Rev. T. B. Powell officiated. The coffin which was draped in a Union Jack was transferred from the hearse at Monument and conveyed to the cemetery on an armoured car, which was preceded by the firing party from the Armoured Car Company of which company the deceased was a member. The car was escorted by a number of pallbearers who consisted of N. C. O.'s and followed by detachment of volunteers representing the various units of the Hongkong Volunteers Defence Corps.

Among those present were the Hon. A. O. Lang, (Chairman of Directors of the Hongkong Electric Company Ltd.), Mr. F. R. Marsh, M.I.E.E. (Manager), Messrs. S. J. C. Stanesby, J. F. Lunny, R. A. Starling, F. F. Duckworth, G. H. M. Bannerman, R. Smith, F. Glass, W. B. Musket, G. R. Maskell, H. J. Watts, A. G. Langston, C. R. Wilson, S. Deacon, E. Rowe, A. F. Paul, S. J. Squire, C. Gahagan, J. Jarvis, V. Sorby, Capt. F. L. Brown, A. E. Wright, Mr. Dunean McNeill and many other friends and employees of the Hongkong Electric Company. Floral tributes were sent by the following:

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RAILWAY FIRE.

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Fort Williams, Ontario, July 8.—A freight shed belonging to the Canadian Pacific Railway caught fire and suffered damage estimated at \$300,000. —*Reuter's American Service.*

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 Subscribed and Paid-up.....£2,594,160
 Reserve Fund.....£ 135,000

HEAD OFFICE:
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Capital.....Fr. 72,000,000.00
 Paid-up Capital.....Fr. 68,400,000.00
 Reserves.....Fr. 69,667,283.64

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(Owned by the National City Bank of
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Capital & Surplus.....U.S. \$14,000,000

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 Colon Dairen
 Hankow Harbin
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 La Vega Madrid
 Manila

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 San Francisco de Macoris
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 Santiago de los Caballeros
 Santo Domingo
 Shanghai Singapore
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 countries of South America and in the
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G. HOGG,
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THE BANK OF CANTON LTD.

Head Office Hongkong.

Authorized Capital.....\$1,200,000
 Paid Up Capital.....\$1,081,875
 Silver Reserve Fund.....\$ 700,000

Foreign Exchange & General Banking
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Interest allowed on
 CURRENT ACCOUNTS
 2% per annum on daily credit balances
 of over \$100.00.

SAVINGS
 4% per annum

DEPOSITS
 for 12 months 5% per annum
 " 6 " 4% " "
 " 3 " 3% " "
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 Bank Ltd.

LOOK POONG SHAN,
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Capital (fully paid up).....Y. 100,000,000
 Reserve fund.....Y. 80,500,000

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 Fongtser Newchwang Sydney
 Hankow New York Tientsin
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 Honolulu Rio de Janeiro Vladivostok
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Interest allowed on Current Accounts.
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 rates to be obtained on application.

Mr. C. ARIMA,
 Manager.

Hongkong, March 11th 1925.

THE HO HONG BANK, LTD.

(Established 1917.)

CAPITAL:

Authorized Capital.....\$20,000,000
 Issued.....8,000,000
 Paid-up.....4,000,000

Reserve Funds of
 Shareholders.....4,000,000
 Surplus.....825,000

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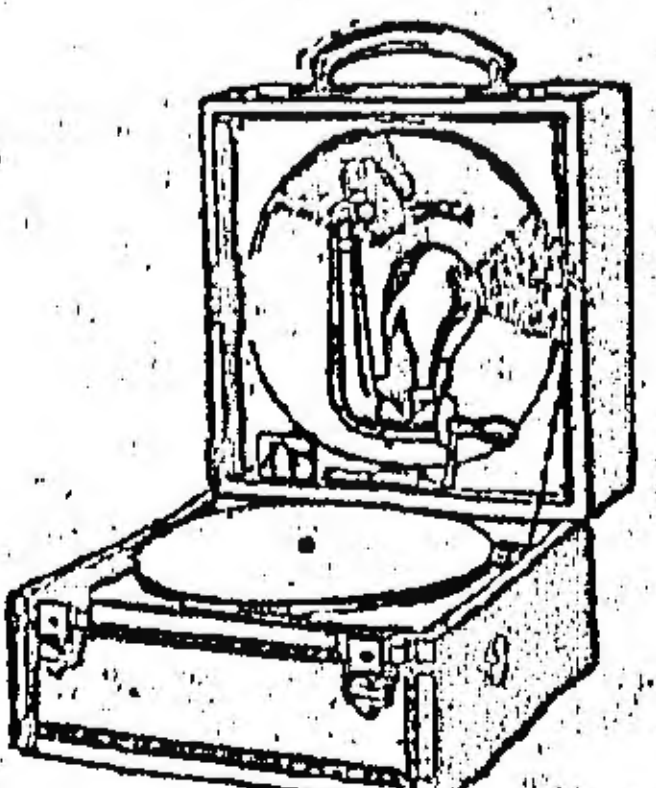
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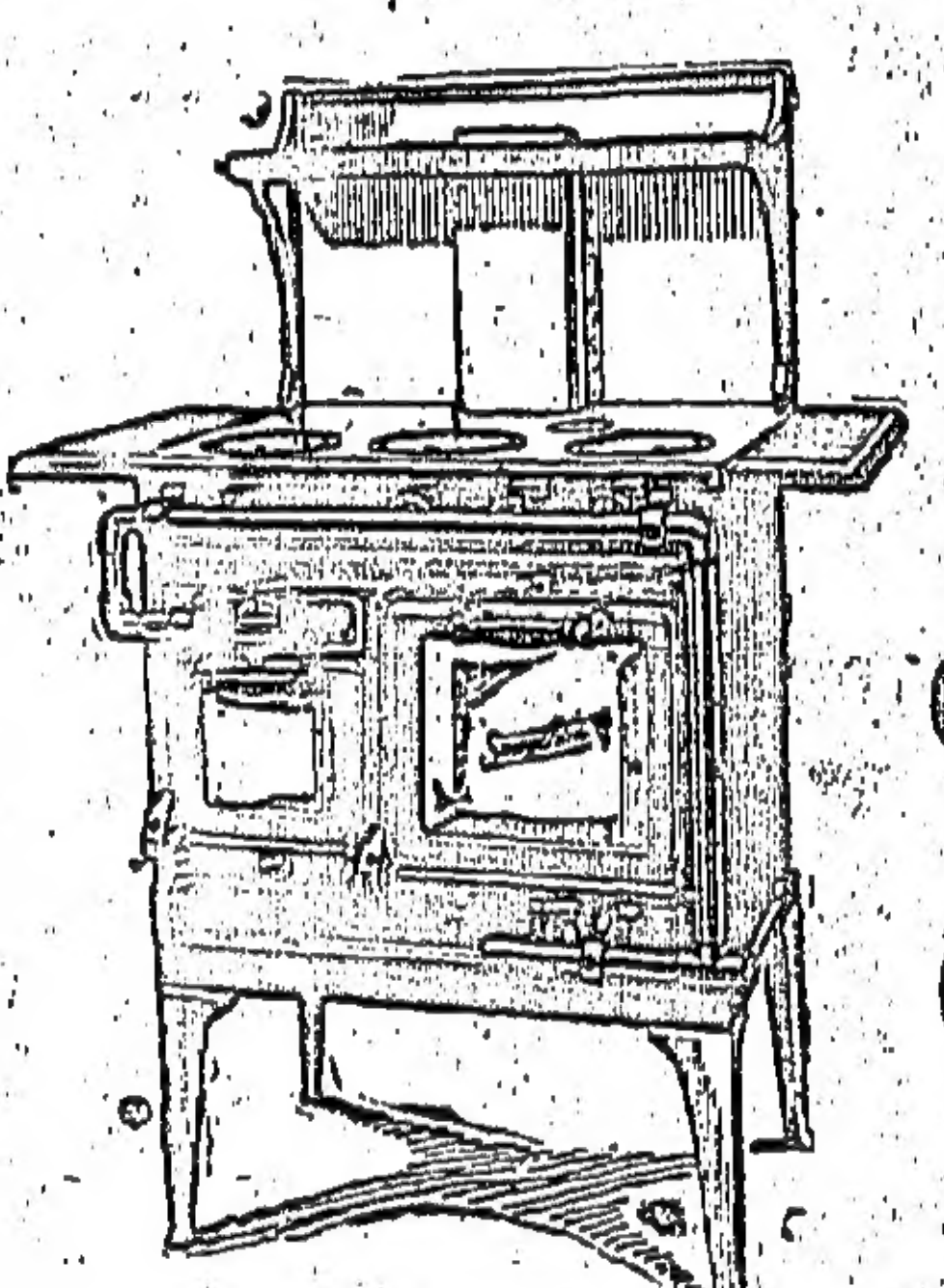
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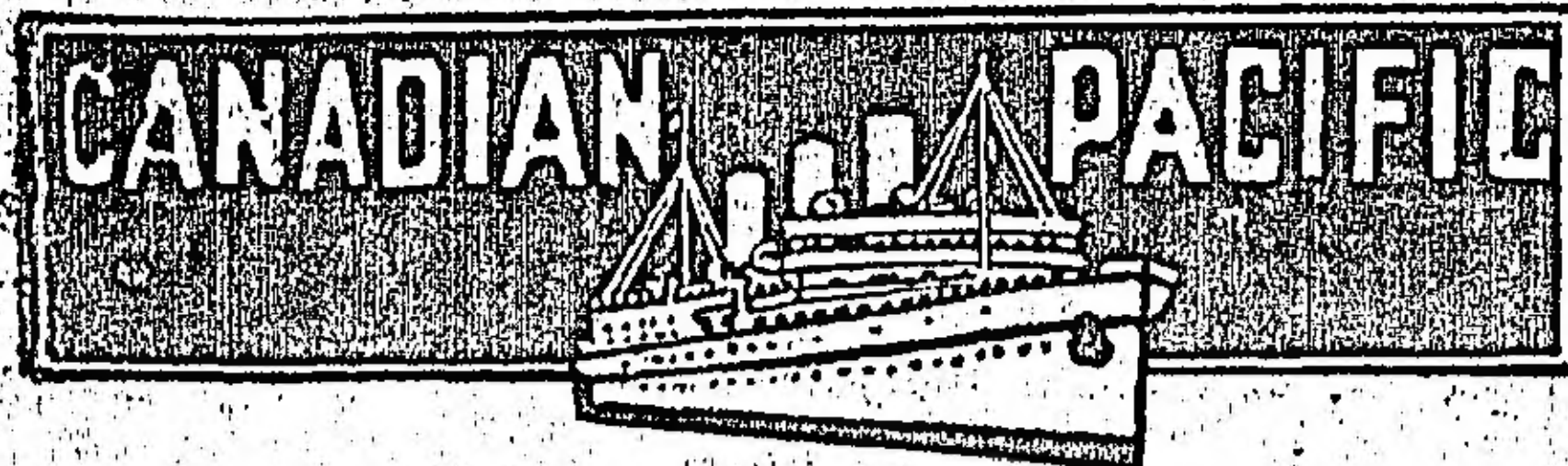
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	Leave Hongkong	Arrive Vancouver	Leave Vancouver	Arrive Seattle
1/CANADA	July 10	July 27	E/SCOTLAND	Aug 5
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S.S. "PRESIDENT GRANT"

sails from Hongkong

July 20th—5.00 p.m.

via Shanghai—Kobe—Yokohama—Victoria.

S.S. "PRESIDENT MADISON" Aug. 1st

S.S. "PRESIDENT JACKSON" Aug. 13th

S.S. "PRESIDENT MCKINLEY" Aug. 25th

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10 days to San Francisco—23 days to Los Angeles.

U.S.S.B. "West Ivan".....Due Hongkong 30th July.

Leave Hongkong 31st July.

U.S.S.B. "West Farall".....Due Hongkong 14th Aug.

Leave Hongkong 15th Aug.

Cargo accepted for transhipment at San Francisco to weekly sailings for Atlantic seaboard ports. Through bills of lading issued to U.S. and Canadian Overland ports.

TO MANILA, ILOILO, CEBU AND ZAMBOANGA.

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TO SINGAPORE, ZAMBOANGA & CEBU.

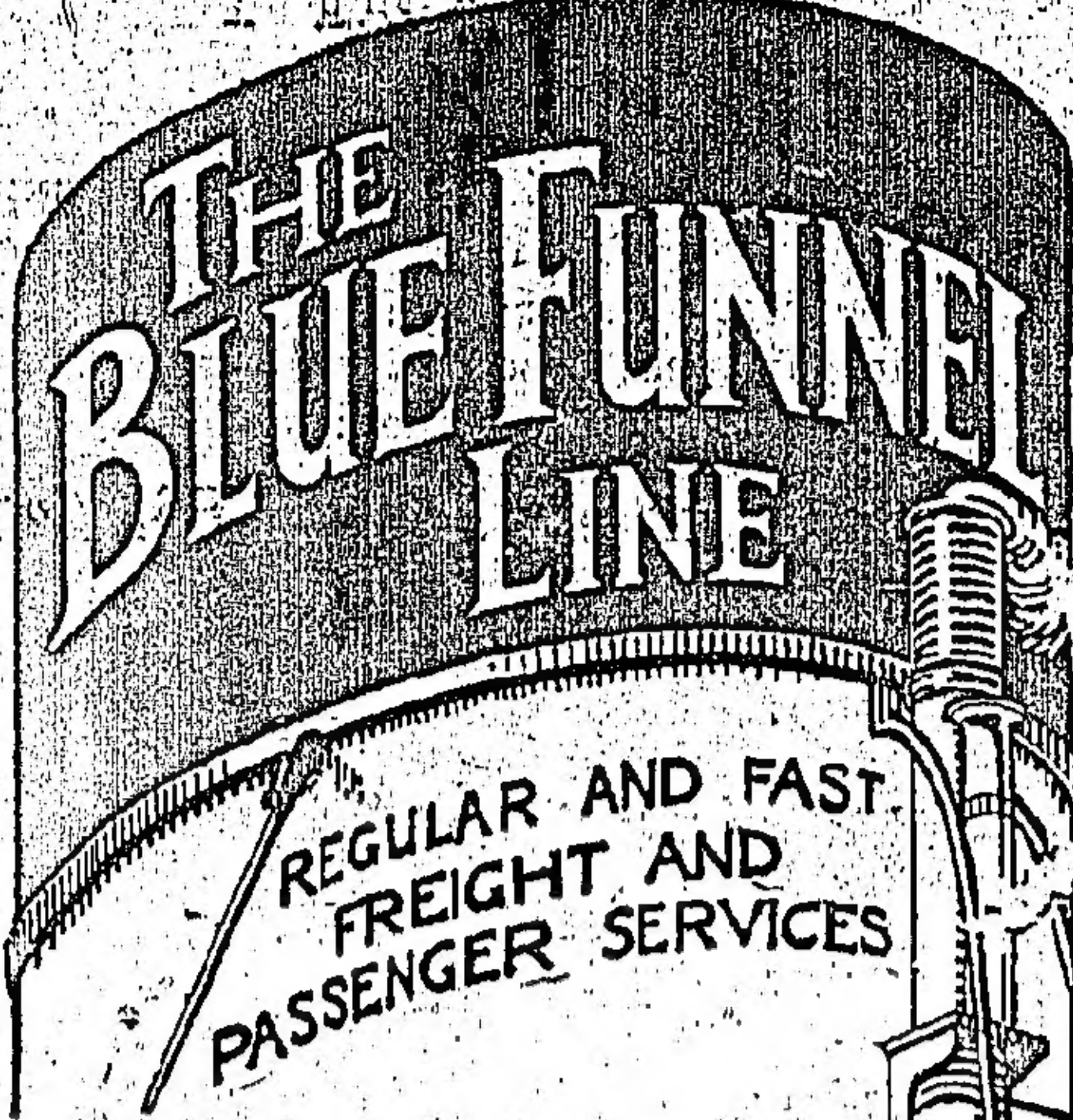
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Leave Hongkong 13th Aug.

Through bills of lading issued to all ports not served for full information apply to:

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"TROLUS" 14th July. Marseilles, London, Rotterdam & Hamburg
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"ELPENOR" 11th Aug. M'les, London, Rotterdam & Hamburg.

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"TALHYBIUS" 1st Aug. Marseilles, Havre, Liverpool & Glasgow.

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"PHILOCTETES" 21st July. Victoria, Vancouver & Seattle.

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SERVICES CONTRACTUALS

Mail Steamers	Next Sailings from Marseilles	Pro. arr. at Hkg and Sailings for H'kai & Japan.	Pro. Sailing from H'kai for M'les
COMPIEGNE	22nd May.	23rd June.	21st July.
ANGERS	5th June.	21st July.	4th Aug.
PAUL LECAT	19th June.	21st July.	18th Aug.
ANDRE LEBON	3rd July.	4th Aug.	1st Sept.

RATES OF PASSAGE MONEY TO MARSEILLES.
(including Table Wine and free Doctor's attendance)
A Class } 1st Class £95.0.0 B. Class } 1st Class £83.0.0
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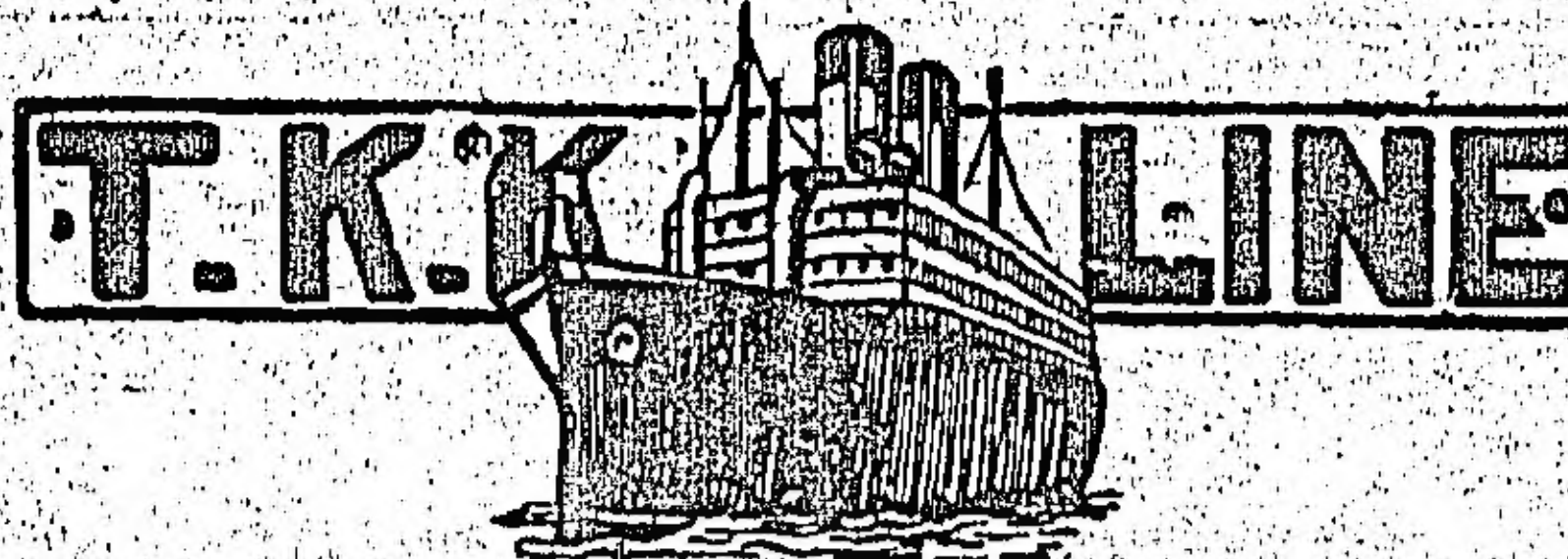
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Accommodation reserved in the trains at Marseilles.
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CONSIGNEE NOTICES.

THE HONGKONG & KOWLOON
WHARF & GODOWN CO., LTD.

Consignees of cargo landed into this Company's godowns during the present unsettled state of affairs are hereby notified that all cargo remaining in godown after expiry of the free storage period will be subject to all extraordinary expenses incurred in connection therewith.

S. H. CRAPPELL,
Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, July 1st, 1925.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY LIMITED.

S.S. "KUTSANG"

Consignees of cargo from Japan by the above steamer which left Kobe on the 18th June, 1925, are hereby informed that, owing to the present local labour troubles, same will be discharged at Singapore and remain there at their risk and expense. The Cargo will be returned to Hongkong as soon as conditions permit.

JARDINE, MATHESON &
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THE STAR

To-day at 5.30 p.m. & 9.15 p.m.

ANITA STEWART

IN

"HARRIET AND THE PIPER"

WANDA WILEY

IN

"GETTING TRIMMED."

TOPICAL NEWS.

WORLD THEATRE

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An All Comedy Programme

Including

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in six parts

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LILLIAN GISH

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in eleven parts.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

THE SHARE & REAL ESTATE
BROKERS' SOCIETY
of
HONGKONG.NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
that the postponed June Settlement
will take place on Tuesday, 14th
July.By Order of the Committee,
M. FERNANDEZ,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 4th July, 1925.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
that the interest and responsibility
in our Firm of Mr. Charles Alexander
Hooper ceased on the 30th June,
1925. Mr. George Gwinnett Noble
Tinson has this day been admitted
a partner in our Firm which will
be carried on as heretofore under
the style or firm name of Johnson
Stokes & Master.JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER.
Hongkong, July 1, 1925.

HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
that the June Settlement will be
held on Tuesday, the 14th day of
July, 1925.By Order of the Committee,
A. NISSIM,
Secretary.
Hongkong, July 4, 1925.THE HONGKONG AND
SHANGHAI HOTELS LIMITED.With reference to the offer of
new shares dated the 15th May,
1925, (made to existing share-
holders of the Company) by the
terms of which the sum of \$7.50 per
share was to be paid on the 30th
June, 1925, and the sum of \$5 on
the 30th September, 1925, the
directors have decided (in view of
the present condition of affairs) to
extend these dates.The date for payment of the first
instalment of \$7.50 per share is
accordingly extended until the 30th
September, 1925, and the date for
payment of the second instalment
until the 31st December, 1925.As regards shareholders who take
advantage of these extended times
the new shares allotted to them will
rank for dividend as from the 1st
October, 1925, in respect of half
the nominal value thereof and as
from the 1st January, 1926, in re-
spect of the full nominal value
thereof.Any shareholder who makes pay-
ment prior to the due date will be
allowed interest at 7% per annum
on the amount paid by him from
the date of payment until the due
date.This notice will not affect those
shareholders who make payment on
the original dates i.e. as regards
the first instalment on the 30th
June, and as regards the second
instalment on the 30th September.
The shares to be allotted to them
will in accordance with the original
terms of the offer rank for di-
vidend on one half the nominal
value as from the 1st July, 1925,
and on the full nominal value as
from the 1st October, 1925.By Order of the Board,
J. H. TAGGART,
Managing Director.
Hongkong, June 30, 1925.

A. S. WATSON & CO. LIMITED.

NOTICE.

PEAK RESIDENTS.

Arrangements have been made to
keep stocks of Aerated Waters at
the Peak Hotel Premises, adjoin-
ing the Dairy Farm Depot.
Peak residents should send for their
requirements, as delivery to houses
cannot now be made.A. S. WATSON & CO. LTD.
Hongkong, June 29, 1925.
PEAK CLUB."Ladies passing the Peak Club
in the mornings on their way to
shop at the Peak Store, are invited
to leave their children at the Peak
Club, where they are cared for by
Mrs. Tratman and the Committee
until the return of their parents or
guardians."J. D. DANBY,
for Controller of Labour.
Hongkong, June 28, 1925.

NOTICE.

All customers with pass books
will be supplied with goods against
their monthly accounts by arrange-
ment with the Manager or the
Accounts Department.THE SINCERE CO. LTD.
Hongkong, July 7, 1925.

NOTICES.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI
BANKING CORPORATION.IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that
an interim dividend of £3 per
share, subject to deduction of In-
come Tax, has been declared for
the Half Year ending 30th June,
1925, at rate of 2/3.7/8 per dollar.The dividend will be payable on
and after Monday the 10th August,
1925, at the Offices of the Corpora-
tion, where Shareholders are re-
quested to apply for Warrants.The Register of Shares of the
Corporation will be closed from
Monday, the 27th July, to Saturday,
the 8th August, 1925, (both days
inclusive) during which period no
transfer of shares can be register-
ed.By Order of the Court of
Directors,
A. H. BARLOW,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, July 7, 1925.

NOTICE.

The Hongkong Sharebrokers'
Association.The June Settlement has been
further postponed to the 14th
instant.By Order of the Committee,
J. W. KEW,
Secretary.
Hongkong, July 4, 1925.

COAL.

There are ample Stocks of Coal
in the Colony. Those in need of
supplies should communicate in
writing with the undersigned who
have been appointed by the Hong-
kong Government:—S. T. Williamson,
Williamson & Company,
20, Des Voeux Road Central.or
C. A. Peel,
c/o Kailan Mining Administration,
Queen's Building.It is inadvisable to wait until
your Stocks are depleted before
communicating with the above.
Hongkong, July 7, 1925.

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OFFICES, Second floor, China
Building, will subdivide to
suit tenants. Inspection any
time during business hours.
Apply The Hongkong Excava-
tion, Pile Driving & Con-
struction Co., Ltd. 2nd Floor,
Powell's Building.GODOWN TO LET, in Alex-
andra Buildings. Apply
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Limited.TO LET.—One European flat,
Wanchai Gap Road, Hong-
kong. Apply to 32 Kennedy
Road.TO LET.—Spacious suite of
Offices 2nd floor, Chartered
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Road. Occupation about June
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Apply to Koyamally and Co., 3 and
5, D'Aguiar Street, Hongkong.TO LET.—Partly furnished. That
desirable and conveniently situated
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Bay. Tennis Court, Garden and
Sea Bathing. Immediate posses-
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telephoning to C.916, during office
hours.FOR SALE.—Indian Scout MOTOR
CYCLE, 1925 Model, \$450. Apply
Box No. 1354, care of "Hongkong
Telegraph."LOST.—A bunch of KEYS, near
Dairy Farm, Nathan Road, Kow-
loon. Finder please communicate
with Box No. 1000, care of "Hong-
kong Telegraph."LOST.—Near Government Civil
Hospital, on morning of 6th July,
young Alsatian wolfhound. Finder
please return to Government Civil
Hospital.

CONSIGNEE NOTICES.

THE BANK LINE LIMITED.

AMERICAN AND MANCHURIAN
LINE.

From NEW YORK.

The Steamship

"CITY OF BEDFORD,"
having arrived, Consignees of Cargo
by her are informed that all Goods
are being landed at their risk into
the hazardous and/or extra hazard-
ous Godowns of Holt's Wharf,
whence Delivery may be obtained.No Claims will be admitted after
the Goods have left the Godowns,
and all Goods remaining undelivered
after 12th July, 1925, will be
subject to Rent.All Claims against the Steamer
must be presented to the Under-
signed on or before 19th July, 1925,
or they will not be recognized.All broken, chafed and damaged
Goods are to be left in the Godowns,
where they will be examined on any
Tuesdays or Fridays, between the
hours of 10.45 a.m. and Noon, with-
in the Free Storage period of One
Week.No Fire Insurance has been
effected.Bills of Lading will be counter-
signed by.THE BANK LINE, LTD.,
Hongkong, July 7, 1925.SERVICES CONTRACTUELS DES
MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

The Steamship

"ANGERS"
Consignees of Cargo from Mar-
seilles, &c., cargo from Bordeaux
ex s.s. "Tetuan" also cargo from
Havre & Cognac ex s.s. "Comdt.
Dorise".In connection with above
Steamer are hereby informed that
their goods with the exception of
Opium, Treasure and Valuables are
being landed and stored at their
risks into the Godowns of the
Hongkong Kowloon Wharf and Go-
down Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence
delivery may be obtained imme-
diately after landing.Optional Cargo will be forwarded
on unless intimation is received
from the Consignees before noon
to-day requesting it to be landed
here.Bills of Lading will be counter-
signed by the Undersigned, Goods
remaining unclaimed after Monday,
the 13th instant, at noon will be
subject to rent and landing charges.
All claims must be sent in to me
on or before Thursday, the 16th
instant, or they will not be recog-
nized.All damaged packages will be ex-
amined on Saturday, the 11th inst.,
at 10 a.m. by Messrs. Goddard &
Douglas.No Fire Insurance has been
effected.

R. RODENFUSER,

Agent.

Hongkong, July 7, 1925.

INDO-CHINA STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY,
LIMITED.

The Steamship

"LAISANG."

Left Calcutta 21st June, 1925.

Consignees of cargo for Hong-
kong, ex the above steamer are
hereby notified that owing to the
disturbed labour conditions pre-
vailing here, the s.s. "Laisang" is
proceeding from Singapore to Kobe
direct, being due at the latter port
on 12th July. Hongkong cargo will
be landed at Kobe where the goods
will remain in storage at consignees
risk and expense.JARDINE, MATHESON &
COMPANY, LIMITED.
General Managers.

Hongkong, July 7, 1925.

THE BEN LINE STEAMERS LTD.

The Steamship

"BENAVON"

From Leith, Middlesbrough, Antwerp
and London.Consignees of cargo per the
above-mentioned steamer are hereby
notified that owing to the existing
Strike conditions cargo for Hong-
kong is being discharged at Naga-
saki where it will lie at the risk
and expense of the Owners of the
goods.Consignees are accordingly re-
commended to make the necessary
arrangements as regards Insurance,
etc.GIBB, LIVINGSTON &
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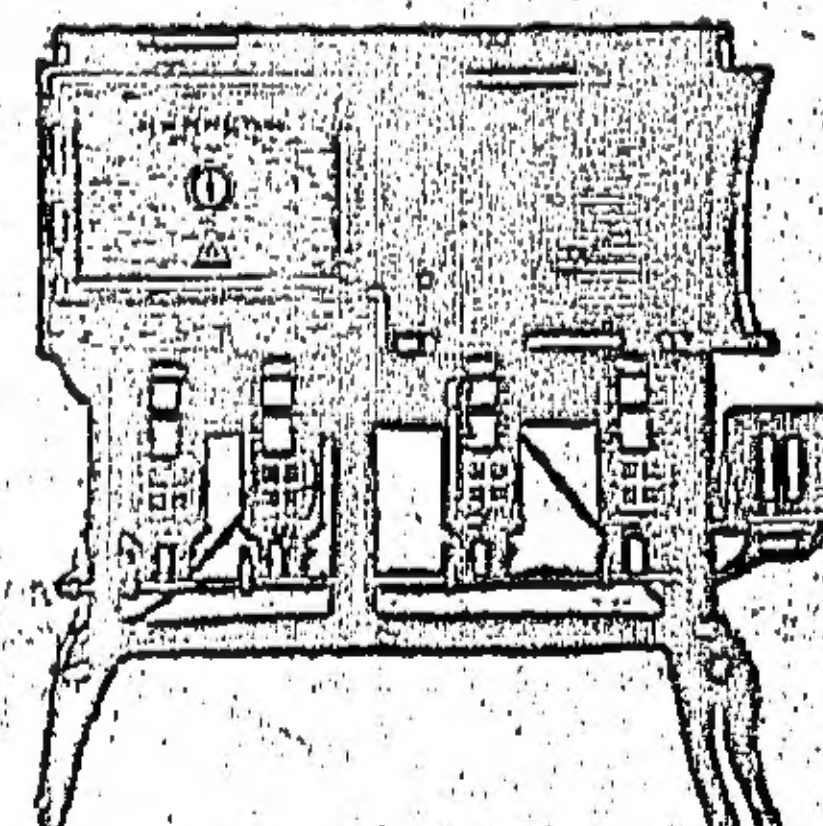
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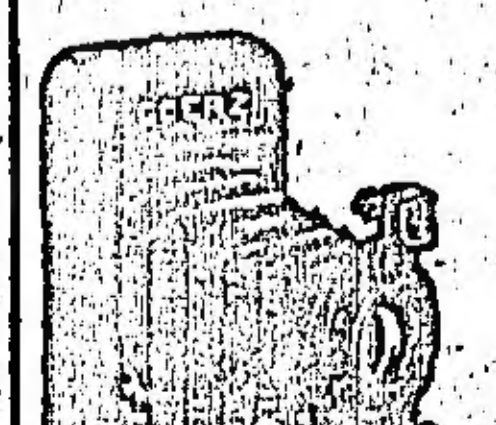
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